

# AX<sup>2</sup> Data Centers, Inc.

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AX<sup>2</sup> Data Centers, Inc. ("AX2"), a limited liability company, with its principal place of business at 10977 East 26<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Denver CO 80238, is thrilled to announce its intention to develop a new data processing facility in Pueblo, Colorado. After working with Black Hills Colorado Electric, LLC ("Black Hills"), AX2 determined that Pueblo would be an ideal location for the siting of AX<sup>2</sup>'s first data processing facility in Southern Colorado.

AX<sup>2</sup>'s new facility in Pueblo promises to bring real economic benefits to the community. AX<sup>2</sup>'s new facility will employ approximately 40-80 employees with an anticipated salary for these employees at an average of \$50,000 a year. Where possible, AX<sup>2</sup> intends to hire its employees from the local community. AX<sup>2</sup>'s new facility is also anticipated to require substantial up-front capital investments in an amount of roughly \$100 million to build and construct the facility. During construction, where possible, AX<sup>2</sup> also intends to hire construction companies from the local community. Construction jobs related to the development of the new facility are expected in the range of 40,000 labor hours. Other community benefits stemming from AX<sup>2</sup>'s development of its new facility include new sales tax and property tax. AX<sup>2</sup> intends to coordinate with the local college for internship opportunities for their students and to develop training programs for the data and technology industry.

AX<sup>2</sup>'s decision to locate its facility in Pueblo was guided in large part due to the flexibility to craft a negotiated service offering for electricity from Black Hills pursuant to Black Hills' Economic Development Rate Tariff. This tariff permitted AX<sup>2</sup> to procure energy for its new data processing facility at a competitive rate that allows AX<sup>2</sup> to compete against other data processing companies across North America.

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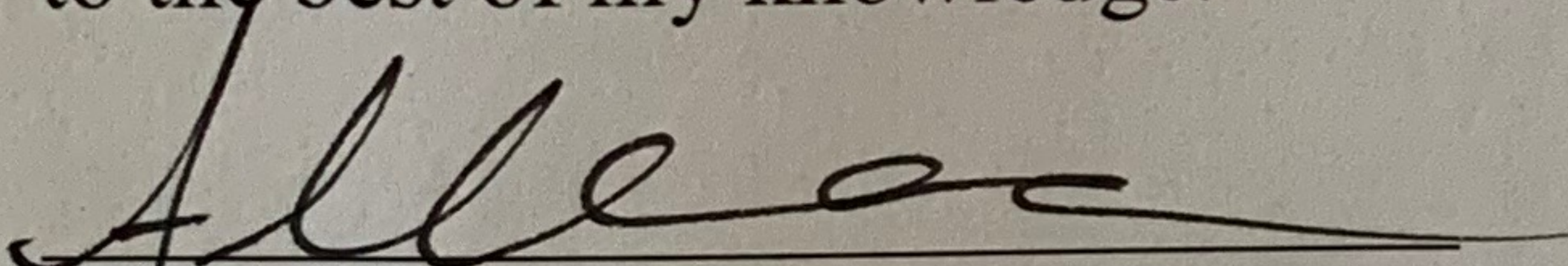
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AX<sup>2</sup> intends to begin construction on the new facility as soon as possible to permit its facility to be fully running in 2019.

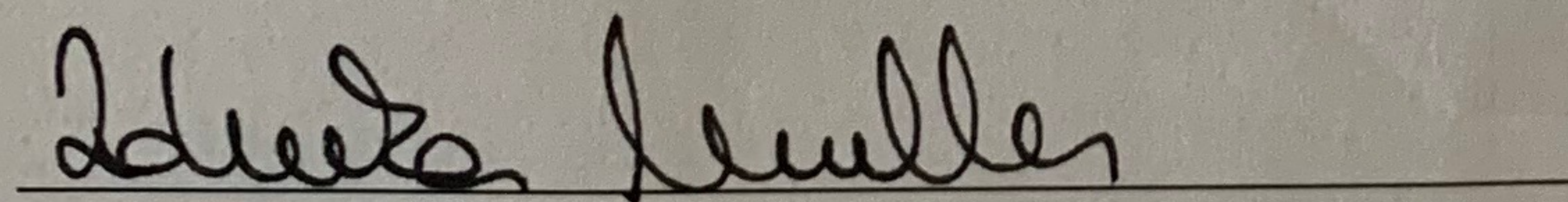
AX<sup>2</sup> is excited to begin the development of its Pueblo facility and working with the community at large to ensure the economic benefits of its project can be realized as soon as possible.

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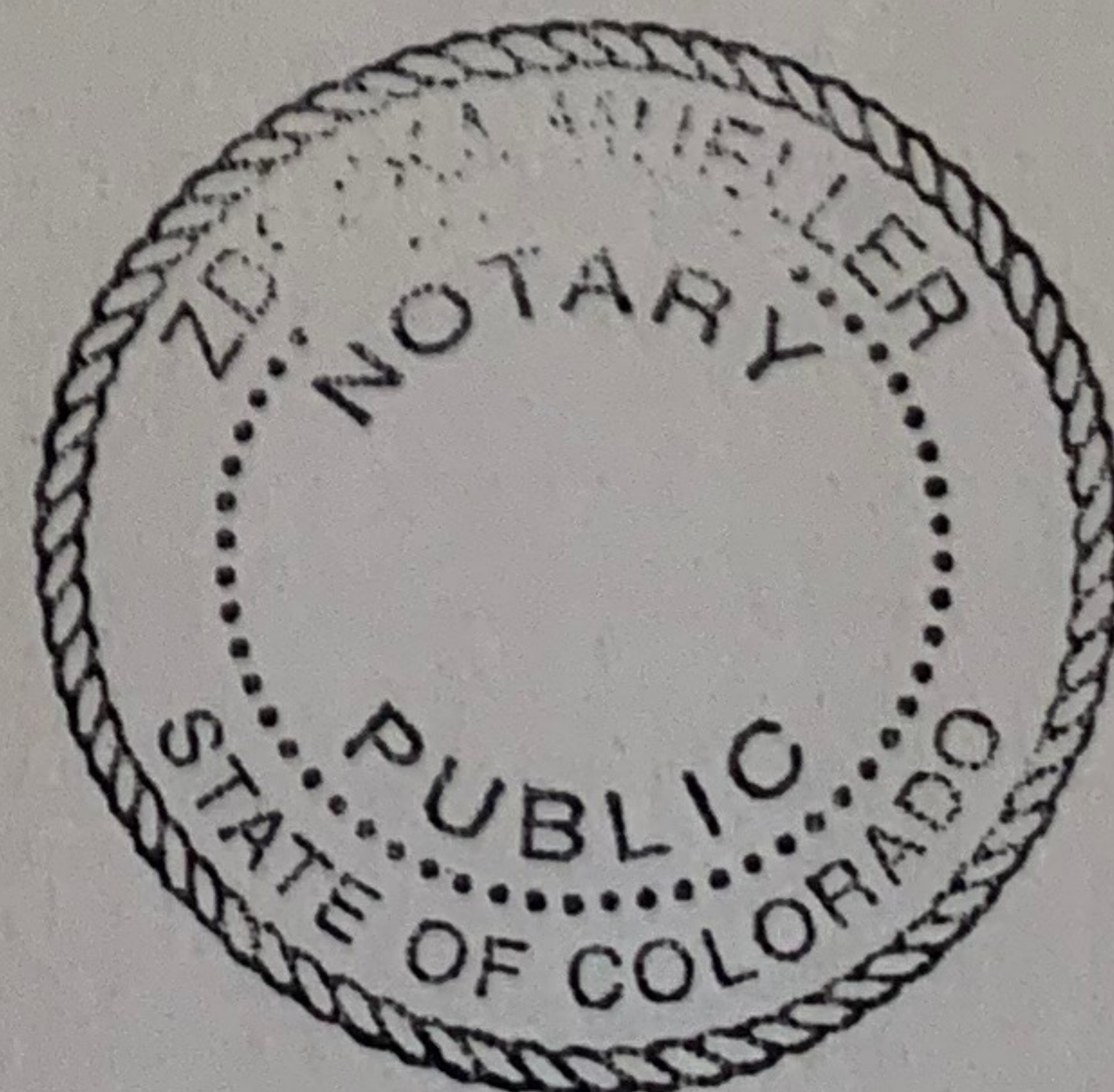
I, Alaxandria M. Von Hell, being duly sworn, do hereby depose and state that I am the Principal/President of AX<sup>2</sup> Data Centers, Inc.; that I am authorized to act on behalf of AX<sup>2</sup> Data Centers, Inc.; that I have read the foregoing; and that all statements made are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

  
Alaxandria M. Von Hell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19<sup>TH</sup> day of APRIL, 2019

  
Notary Public  
ZDENKA HUELLER

**My Commission Expires  
03/18/2019**



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